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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Jason P. McDevitt; David John Tyrrell

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For (title):      REMOVAL OF TARGETED PROTEASES WITH PROTEINACEOUS WOUND DRESSINGS

**1.      Type of Application**

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

**2.      Papers Enclosed**

**A.**      Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

17 Page(s) of Specification

2 Page(s) of Claims

**B.**      Other Papers Enclosed

1 Page(s) of abstract

**3.      Additional Papers Enclosed**

5 pages of Patent Application Data Sheet

**4.      Declaration or Oath**

Not Enclosed.

Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(c) on behalf of all of the above-named inventors.

**5.      Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**6.      Language**

English

7. ✓ **Assignment**

An assignment of the invention to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. is attached. A separate "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" is also attached.

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**8. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$740.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	15	- 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	2	- 3 =	0 x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$280.00	\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation					\$740.00

**9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION".)	\$80.00
<b>Total Fees Enclosed</b>	<b>\$820.00</b>

**10. Method of Payment of Fees**

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**11. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees**

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**ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF  
PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED**

**13. Relate Back**

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line, the following sentence:

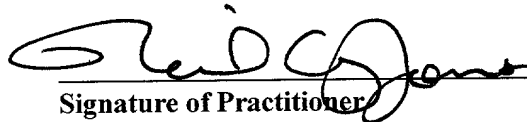
A. 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e)

"This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.: 60/257,397, filed on 12/22/2000, which is incorporated herein in its entirety by reference thereto."

**14. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed**

a. This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above and the inventors in this application are the same.

Date: 12/14/01

  
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

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101	740	201	370 Utility filing fee	740.00
106	330	206	165 Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255 Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370 Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80 Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$ 740.00

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
	15	-20** = 0	18.00	0.00
	2	-3** = 0	84.00	0.00
	Multiple Dependent		280.00	0.00

	Large Entity Fee Code (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9 Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42 Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	84	209	42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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105	130	205	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520 For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920*	112	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55 Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200 Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460 Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720 Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980 Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160 Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140 Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640 Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,280	242	640 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230 Design issue fee	
144	620	244	310 Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
126	180	126	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	80.00
146	740	246	370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	

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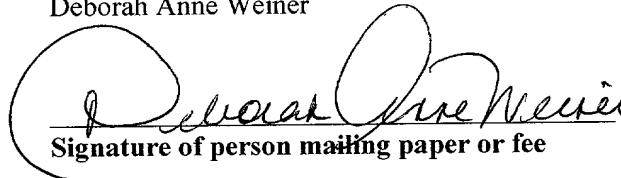
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